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55. The ultrasonic surgical system described in claim 52, further including:
a perfusion-suction coupling unit that couples the fluid supply tube
and the suction tube to the perfusion/suction surgical device,

wherein the perfusion/suction surgical device further includes an
ultrasonic transducer therein; and the coupling unit further provides a signal
path from the signal output device to the transducer in the perfusion/suction
surgical device,

the third input device being further operative to provide operating
parameter settings to the first control for use by the drive unit when the
perfusion/suction surgical device is in use.

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REMARKS

Additional reference numeral errors in the Specification and in Drawing FIG. 8 are corrected hereby, and additional claims have been added. Applicant respectfully requests that the Amendment be entered prior to examination to facilitate the Examiner's initial study of the application.

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